GOVERNMENT OF ANDHRA PRADESH <u>ABSTRACT</u>

Public Services – APCS (Ex.Br.) Rules – Deputy Collectors – Smt. Sharada Devi, SGDC, presently working as Special Collector, Nalas Development, GHMC – Disciplinary action initiated - Further action dropped – Orders – Issued.

REVENUE (VIG.III) DEPARTMENT

G.O.Rt.No. 1490.

Dated: 13.10.2009
Read the following:-

- 1. From the DG, ACB, Lr.Rc.No.24/DE.V-CR.1/2006, dt. 26.6.2007..
- 2. G.O.Rt.No.501, Rev (Vig.III) Dept., dated 24.3.2009
- 3. From Smt. Sharada Devi, Special Collector, Nalas Dept., GHMC, Explanation dated 29/6/2009.

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ORDER:-

It was brought to the notice of the Government by the competent authority, Smt. Sharada Devi, Deputy Collector presently working as Special Collector, Nalas Development, GHMC, Hyderabad has purchased immovable property without obtaining proper permission from the competent authority and also she failed to submission Annual Property statements to the competent authority since the date of her joining into service, thereby contravened the Rule 9 (1) & (7) of APCS (Conduct Rules) 1964.

- Since a prima facie case has been established, disciplinary action has been initiated under Rule 20 of APCS (CCA) Rules, 1991. Accordingly Article of charges were issued vide ref.2nd read above. Smt. Sharada Devi, Special Collector, Nalas Development, GHMC has submitted her written statement of defence in the reference 3rd read above.
- In her explanation she has stated that she has applied for prior permission giving all details of immovable property proposed to be acquired to the Competent Authority i.e., Chief Commissioner of Land Administration on 29.10.2005. She has waited for mandatory period of (30) days as contemplated in Rule 9 of Conduct Rules issues in G.O.Ms.No.26, G.A. Department, dt.20.1.1998 and registered the property. Subsequently permission was granted by the Competent Authority i.e., CCLA vide proceedings No.DD1/193/2005, dated 12.1.2007, duly making a copy of the Director of Animal Husbandry, where she was working at that time. Hence she has not violated Rule 9 of Conduct Rules and she follow the procedure prescribed. She has further stated that she has submitted all of her annual property statements to the Competent Authority during the period which she alleged to have been shown misconduct i.e., from 7.4.2005 to 31.12.2006. For the year 2006 the statement also submitted the detailed account of all the immovable and movable properties owned by herself and her family members. Further she has submitted that she put up 19 years of service in various cadres and she worked in districts in different cadres.

Wherever, she enjoyed the confidence and appreciation of his superior officers and she never had any allegation against her integrity. She maintained dauntless career so far and never indulged in any activity that is prejudicial to the interest of the Government. She has therefore requested the Government to consider his explanation and to exonerate her from the charges.

- 4. Government, after careful examination of the matter in detail hereby considered her explanation and decided to drop further action against her. Accordingly further action against Smt. Sharada Devi, SGDC, presently working as Special Collector, Nalas Development, GHMC is dropped.
- 5. The Chief Commissioner of Land Administration shall take further action accordingly.

(BY ORDER AND IN THE NAME OF THE GOVERNOR OF ANDHRA PRADESH)

RAJESHWAR TIWARI SECRETARY TO GOVERNMENT

То

Smt. Sharada Devi, Special Collector,

Nalas Development, GHMC, Hyderabad, (through CCLA)

The Chief Commissioner of Land Administration, Hyderabad.

Copy to:

The Director General, ACB, Hyderabad

The Director of Animal Husbandry.

The Secretary,

A.P. Vigilance Commission.

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//FORWARDED BY ORDER//

SECTION OFFICER